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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1 Claim 1 (Previously Presented): A transferable magnetic tape in which a printed layer, a
2 magnetic recording layer, and an adhesive layer are layered in sequence upon a backing film with
3 said printed layer closest to said backing film, wherein said printed layer comprises:
4 (1) a pattern printed region (1) and,
5 (2) a filling layer region (2) outside said pattern printed region (1),
6 and moreover
7 (3) said pattern printed region (1) and said filling layer region (2) are different in color,
8 (4) a thickness of said printed layer is uniform, and
9 in said transferable magnetic tape a coercivity of magnetic powder contained in said magnetic
10 recording layer is 20 to 320 kA/m.

1 Claim 2 (Previously Presented): A transferable magnetic tape according to claim 1, wherein
2 said pattern printed region and said filling layer region each comprise a non-magnetic printing ink.

1 Claim 3 (Previously Presented): A transferable magnetic tape according to either one of claim
2 1 and claim 2, wherein a resin layer having peelability is provided between said backing film and

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3 said printed layer.

1 Claim 4 (Original): A transferable magnetic tape according to either one of claim 1 and claim
2, wherein a masking layer is provided between said printed layer and said magnetic recording layer.

1 Claim 5 (Previously Presented): A transferable magnetic tape according to either one of claim
2 and claim 2, wherein a resin layer having peelability is provided between said backing film and
3 said printed layer, and a masking layer is provided between said printed layer and said magnetic
4 recording layer.

1 Claim 6 (Withdrawn): A method of manufacturing a transferable magnetic tape, wherein a
2 printed layer comprising a pattern printed region and a filling layer region is formed on a backing
3 film by a printing method, and a magnetic recording layer containing magnetic powder with a
4 coercivity of 20 to 320 kA/m, and an adhesive layer are then sequentially layered thereon by a
5 coating method.

1 Claim 7 (Withdrawn): A method of manufacturing a transferable magnetic tape according
2 to claim 6, wherein said pattern printed region and said filling layer are formed using printing inks
3 with volumetric shrinkage rates which accompany drying and solidification equivalent.

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1 Claim 8 (Withdrawn): A method of manufacturing a transferable magnetic tape according
2 to either one of claim 6 and claim 7, wherein a printed layer is formed after a resin layer having
3 peelability is formed upon said backing film.

1 Claim 9 (Withdrawn): A method of manufacturing a transferable magnetic tape according
2 to either one of claim 6 and claim 7, wherein a masking layer is provided between said printed layer
3 and said magnetic recording layer.

1 Claim 10 (Withdrawn): A method of manufacturing a transferable magnetic tape according
2 to either one of claim 6 and claim 7, wherein a resin layer having peelability is provided between
3 said backing film and said printed layer, and a masking layer is provided between said printed layer
4 and said magnetic recording layer.

1 Claim 11 (Withdrawn): A method of manufacturing a transferable magnetic tape according
2 to claim 6 or 7, wherein after said pattern printed region is formed using a printing cylinder
3 corresponding therewith, said filling layer is formed in said filling layer region using a printing
4 cylinder corresponding therewith, without gaps between said pattern printed region, and without
5 overlapping.

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1 Claim 12 (Currently Amended): A magnetic card in which a magnetic recording layer and
2 a printed layer are formed in sequence on a card base material with said magnetic recording layer
3 closer to said base material, wherein said printed layer comprises:
4 (1) a pattern printed region (1) and,
5 (2) a filling layer region (2) outside said pattern printed region (1),
6 and moreover
7 (3) said pattern printed region (1) and said filling layer region (2) are different in color,
8 (4) a thickness of said printed layer is uniform, and
9 in said magnetic card a coercivity of magnetic powder contained in said magnetic recording layer
10 is 20 to 320 kA/m.

1 Claim 13 (Original): A magnetic card according to claim 12, having an adhesive layer on said
2 card base material.

1 Claim 14 (Original): A magnetic card according to claim 12, further having a protective layer
2 on said printed layer.

1 Claim 15 (Original): A magnetic card according to claim 12, further having a masking layer
2 between said printed layer and said magnetic recording layer.

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1 Claim 16 (Original): A magnetic card according to claim 12, having a protective layer on said
2 printed layer and a masking layer between said printed layer and said magnetic recording layer.

1 Claim 17 (Withdrawn): A method of manufacturing a transferable magnetic tape according
2 to claim 8, wherein after said pattern printed region is formed using a printing cylinder
3 corresponding therewith, said filing layer is formed in said filling layer region using a printing
4 cylinder corresponding therewith, without gaps between said pattern printed region, and without
5 overlapping.

1 Claim 18 (Withdrawn): A method of manufacturing a transferable magnetic tape according
2 to claim 9, wherein after said pattern printed region is formed using a printing cylinder
3 corresponding therewith, said filing layer is formed in said filling layer region using a printing
4 cylinder corresponding therewith, without gaps between said pattern printed region, and without
5 overlapping.

1 Claim 19 (Withdrawn): A method of manufacturing a transferable magnetic tape according
2 to claim 10, wherein after said pattern printed region is formed using a printing cylinder
3 corresponding therewith, said filing layer is formed in said filling layer region using a printing
4 cylinder corresponding therewith, without gaps between said pattern printed region, and without
5 overlapping.

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